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 the purchasers. If you are looking  
 for a farm it will pay you to call  
 and see me.

Many modern houses in Alma for  
 sale at reasonable terms. If you  
 have a farm or house to sell, call  
 and list it. If you wish to buy  
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 to buy is before people get their  
 real.

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 words to the line. Positively no  
 ads will be taken for this column  
 without cash in advance, as  
 items are too small to take the  
 trouble to enter charge accounts.

## FOR RENT—ROOMS

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished  
 rooms. Inquire 611 Wright ave.  
 77-1-p

FOR RENT—Two modern light  
 housekeeping rooms. 109 West  
 Downie.  
 77-1-p

FOR RENT—Two two furnished  
 sleeping rooms. Wm. Beverly, 412  
 Lincoln ave.  
 72-1-p

## FOR SALE—RESIDENCE PROPERTY

FOR SALE OR RENT—Several good  
 houses. Inquire Record office. 76tf

FOR SALE—Seven room house, close  
 in. Would consider a 1917 or 1918  
 Ford as first payment. See H. M.  
 Landis.  
 77-1-p

## WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Second-hand baby car-  
 riage. Call Bell 297.  
 77-1-p

WANTED—Sealed bids on 22 sticks  
 of timber 10x18x16 feet long. Will  
 accept some wane. Must be oak,  
 rock elm or maple. Delivered at  
 Alma. Fred F. DeRushin. 77-1-p

WANTED AT ONCE—Housekeeper  
 for single man on farm. Inquire  
 Record office.  
 77-2-p

WANTED—Some second-hand rug-  
 s, one 9x12 and three or four smaller  
 ones. Write description and price  
 to E. A. Frisbie, Crystal, Mich.  
 77-1-c

WANTED—Modern furnished house-  
 keeping rooms. Phone Bell 137 or  
 Union 20.  
 77-1-p

## MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE—Radiator repairs; all  
 work guaranteed. Sawyer's Radi-  
 ator shop, 213 East Superior.  
 77-4-c

**BIG ROOMING HOUSE OPPOR-  
 TUNITY**—To trade for modern con-  
 venient home in Alma for this  
 place in Mt. Pleasant. Rooming  
 house entirely modern and in A1  
 condition, 15 rooms, bath, two toi-  
 lets, three lavatories, two garages,  
 two large lots. Location the best,  
 facing court house square. Will sell  
 cheap or trade for all modern  
 house up to \$5,500 value. Inquire  
 Cooper, Grover & Francis, Mt.  
 Pleasant, Mich.  
 77-1-c

## FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—A second hand Penin-  
 sular furnace in good repair for  
 sale cheap. Inquire of R. H.  
 Brown, the furnace man or 511  
 Gratiot ave.  
 77-1-c

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—1917  
 Maxwell, fitted with winter body.  
 In perfect condition. Will exchange  
 for Ford. Inquire Dr. Carney.  
 77-1-c

FOR SALE—Two thoroughbred O. I.  
 C. stock hogs. Inquire John Will.  
 Alma Route 2.  
 77-1-p

FOR SALE—Good second hand  
 range. Will sell for \$10.00. In-  
 quire at Record office.  
 77-1-c

FOR SALE—J. R. Watkins remedies,  
 spices, extracts, toilet articles, soap  
 and perfume. 521 River ave. 76tf

FOR SALE—King Economy separa-  
 tor. Call Bell Phone 19-31-48.  
 Fred Kimbler. R. 1.  
 77-1-p

FOR SALE—Cement plant or one-  
 half interest in same for sale at  
 once at bargain. Complete to man-  
 ufacture cement blocks. Call or  
 write S. R. Ostler, Saginaw, Michi-  
 gan or phone No. 47 for details.  
 75-4-c

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE for  
 value in piano, equity in good  
 building lot. Inquire Journal of-  
 fice or 203 Park.  
 74-1-c

FOR SALE—Wood bedstead, full  
 size, and a 3/4 wood bedstead with  
 springs. Inquire at 511 Gratiot. 7f

## HELP WANTED

WANTED—Woman to do washings.  
 Inquire 224 Park ave.  
 77-1-p

WANTED—Help at Wright Hall.  
 77-1-c

## WANTED—SITUATIONS

POSITION WANTED—As house-  
 keeper for widower or small family  
 in city by middle aged woman.  
 Call Bell phone 329.  
 76-1-c

## LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Bunch of keys on triangular  
 ring, 2 padlock keys, 1 Yale lock,  
 3 door keys. Return to Republic  
 restaurant, Joe Schooner.  
 77-1-p

FOUND—A black leather purse con-  
 taining a small amount of money.  
 Owner can have same by calling at  
 624 State st.  
 77-1-p

## Special Clothes for Motorists.

It was in 1900 that a well-known  
 tailor in Chicago introduced specially  
 designed clothing for motorists. His  
 announcement read in part as follows:  
 "We can furnish a leather chauffeur's  
 suit, jacket, trousers, cap and goggles  
 complete in any color found in kid  
 gloves at \$50 the outfit."

## Giving Himself Away.

A splinter of uncertain age, when  
 asked if she had read Aesop's fables,  
 set her friends a-wondering by stating  
 that she had read them when they first  
 came out.

## Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

Before using this preparation for a  
 cough or cold you may wish to know  
 what it has done for others. Mrs. O.  
 Cook, Macon, Ill., writes, "I have  
 found it gives the quickest relief of  
 any cough remedy I have ever used."  
 Mrs. James A. Knott, Chillicothe,  
 Mo., says, "Chamberlain's Cough  
 Remedy cannot be beat for coughs  
 and colds." H. J. Moore, Oval, Pa.,  
 says, "I have used Chamberlain's  
 Cough Remedy on several occasions  
 when I was suffering with a settled  
 cold upon my chest and it has always  
 brought about a cure."

## RESOLUTIONS PASSED

The Gratiot County Board of Su-  
 pervisors passed the following resolu-  
 tions of respect following the death  
 of Col. Roosevelt Monday morning.  
 Ithaca, Michigan, January 8, 1919

## Resolutions of Respect

As this the Board of supervisors of  
 the county of Gratiot, state of Michi-  
 gan, are assembled in regular Janu-  
 ary, A. D. 1919, session, we are deeply  
 distressed to receive the announce-  
 ment of the death of our ex-President  
 Theodore Roosevelt.

We know that the whole world  
 mourns with us, the loss of this  
 great man.

As President of the United States  
 his exceptional wisdom, judgment  
 and unwavering decision, gained for  
 him the admiration and recognition  
 of every nation of the globe as one of  
 the greatest statesmen the world has  
 ever known.

His name is a household word  
 throughout the nation. He was born  
 a plain American; he lived the true  
 American; he died the great Ameri-  
 can.

RESOLVED, that this Body for and  
 in behalf of the people of Gratiot  
 county express our great appreciation  
 of this man of so noble worth. We  
 mourn our loss and cherish his mem-  
 ory.

RESOLVED, that the most earnest  
 sympathy pours out of the hearts of  
 the people of this community to the  
 bereft family.

RESOLVED, that this testimonial of  
 our respect be spread upon the record  
 of proceedings of this board and  
 published in the local newspapers.

J. E. Fuller  
 Frank Beach  
 Chas. O. Watson  
 Committee on resolutions.

## SOUTHEAST COE

Alva Hopkins of St. Louis visited  
 with his parents here over the week  
 end.

Mrs. and Mrs. Henry Bryant and  
 son of Elm Grove were Sunday guests  
 at the home of Willis Hopkins.

Grant Leonard and wife visited at  
 the home of Archie Forsgren of  
 Gratiot county Sunday.

C. O. Alexander went to Detroit  
 Saturday on business.

The 11th ban was raised at Coe  
 village so that Sunday services could  
 be held at the church. Elder Start  
 gave two fine sermons Sunday. The  
 officers for the Sunday school were  
 elected. Regular services will be  
 held next Sunday.

Levi Burge and wife spent New  
 Year's at the home of L. Inman.

Lona Leonard of Alma spent sev-  
 eral days last week at the home of  
 her uncle, John Leonard.

Elder Start and wife returned Sat-  
 urday from a visit with relatives and  
 friends in Muskegon.

## ELM HALL

Mrs. Pratt is home from Sumner  
 for a few days.

Carl Blair and Hubert Hicks went  
 to Detroit Saturday.

Clyde LeRoy was home over Sun-  
 day from Camp Custer.

Richard Pratt is home from Carson  
 City.

Mrs. Alice Butcher went to Elwell  
 Tuesday for an extended visit.

Mrs. Pearl Sabin was in Alma  
 Tuesday.

Ed Smith returned to Detroit  
 Thursday after spending a week with  
 his parents, Chas. Smith and wife.

Mrs. Inez Ayers of Alma is spend-  
 ing a few days with her parents, Wm.  
 Conner and wife.

## Broaden Your Mind.

Brush the cobwebs out of your mind.  
 Rid yourself of the rubbish of prej-  
 udice and profession. No longer be  
 content with surface thinking, which  
 is not thinking at all. Form the habit  
 of looking at everything from more  
 than one point of view. Balance,  
 weigh, test, observe, analyze, meditate.  
 Thus alone can you gain opin-  
 ions that are really your own and rely  
 well based. Thus alone can you  
 grow in success-winning power of  
 mind.—Exchange.

## All Biblical Towns.

It was at Lydda, which was "nigh  
 unto Joppa," that Peter restored  
 Aeneas, "who had kept his bed eight  
 years and was sick of the palsy," and  
 it was, of course, in Joppa itself that  
 Peter restored Tabitha to life. Here  
 also he lodged for a time "with one  
 Simon a tanner, whose house is by  
 the seaside," and it was here that he  
 saw the wonderful vision which taught  
 him the universality of Christianity.

## Care of the Telephone.

The telephone is a fine receptacle  
 for germs of every kind, and little at-  
 tention is paid to sterilizing this much-  
 used machine. It should be washed  
 out with alcohol as often as required,  
 and to keep the dust out of it make  
 a small round cover of soft leather or  
 heavy cloth and stitch a broad ribbon  
 around the top through which can be  
 run a drawing string or elastic. Put  
 this over the transmitter.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt  
 thanks to our many neighbors and  
 kind friends for the many acts of sym-  
 pathy during our recent and bereave-  
 ment, and also for the beautiful floral  
 tributes to the departed whose death  
 plunged us into sorrow.

Fred and Edna Howe.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Verne Van Loven.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our kind friends  
 and neighbors for the beautiful floral  
 offerings and the kind words of our  
 minister, Rev. Duffey, in our recent  
 bereavement.

Mrs. Wm. Lutz,  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ford Lutz  
 Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Rush  
 Gale Lutz  
 pl.

When you are troubled with in-  
 digestion or constipation, take Cham-  
 berlain's Tablets. They strengthen  
 the stomach and enable it to perform  
 its functions naturally. Indigestion  
 is usually accompanied by constipa-  
 tion and is aggravated by it. Cham-  
 berlain's Tablets cause a gentle move-  
 ment of the bowels, relieving the  
 constipated condition.

Advertise in the Record.

## LAWRENCE MONTIGEL

## WRITES FROM FRANCE

(Continued from page one)  
 deal from the American railroad men.  
 I stopped the other day at a cross-  
 ing and waited for five or ten min-  
 utes for the woman to open the gate.  
 Finally I inquired why the woman  
 held us so long and was informed  
 that when the gateswomen learned  
 that an American train was coming  
 they would close the gates long be-  
 fore the train was due. The Ameri-  
 can engineers are too speedy.

Another interesting thing is the  
 telegraph system, which is operat-  
 ed by the railroads. At the tele-  
 graph offices they use the old  
 system of paper and ticker, the  
 machine writes out the letters in-  
 stead of the modern sound system.

Yesterday I went to Bordeaux, a  
 longed for trip. The only flaw was  
 that I had no time to see the sights.  
 I went by ambulance, taking Lieut.  
 Col. Lillianhaw to get the boat "Eco-  
 lis" at the No. 1 dock. The trip go-  
 ing down was very cold and rainy.

We arrived about 11:30, went to U.  
 S. headquarters, and then to dinner  
 at the Y. M. C. A. The place was  
 very popular and well patronized.

After dinner we went back across  
 the big bridge and along the right  
 bank of the river. From the point  
 of crossing the bridge we traveled  
 more than five miles and saw noth-  
 ing more than docks and unloading  
 cranes. We went to U. S. dock No.  
 1 and there was the vessel which was  
 to soon leave for the States. It was  
 once one of the German interned  
 boats.

We returned to the city and then  
 went out to Beau Desert where Bea  
 Hospitals No. 111, 114, 121, and 22  
 are located. Here the troops are  
 brought up the line until they are  
 ready to board the boat. This cer-  
 tainly is a big camp, having every-  
 thing imaginable in the way of mil-  
 itary work. I returned to the city  
 again about 5:30 p. m. and started  
 for Gome, a distance of about 30  
 miles, without nights and only the  
 moonlight to drive by, which wasn't  
 bad as only the Americans drive after  
 dark, so didn't have to stop for any  
 ox teams and the moonlight made  
 everything beautiful. We drove to  
 Libourne, had supper and returned.  
 Everything went along fine for the  
 rest of the trip.

If I stay long enough to get a fur-  
 ough I hope to be able to see Paris  
 and Nish as they're both in the leave  
 centre and have a great deal of in-  
 terest for me. At Nish the Red  
 Cross and Y. M. C. A. have taken  
 over a large hotel and they furnish  
 to men on furlough, room and lodg-  
 ing free, something which is very  
 generous. I would have liked to  
 have been in Paris when Pres. Wil-  
 son came into the city but no doubt  
 the movies will give us a good pic-  
 ture of it. Everyone over here has a  
 great respect for Pres. Wilson and  
 they are right in that. All the cities  
 and hamlets were decorated with  
 American and French flags in honor  
 of his arrival and visit to France.  
 They think his coming a wonderful  
 honor and gift of the American gov-  
 ernment.

We have lots of rumors traveling  
 around here about our going home;  
 the last two are, first, we will be  
 going homeward in the next few days,  
 the second is that we have been at-  
 tached to this base unit, and will  
 return with them. The latter would  
 mean that we will be here quite a  
 while or until most of the men have  
 returned from the front.

Some of the fellows have received  
 their Christmas boxes, hope I receive  
 mine soon. By the time you receive  
 this, Christmas will be over but hope  
 you have had a happy one and that  
 I will be with you soon. Write.

Your son and brother,  
 Wag. L. E. Montigel.

## DOUBLY PROVEN

Alma Readers Can No Longer Doubt  
 the Evidence.

This grateful citizen testified long  
 ago.  
 Told of quick relief—of undoubted  
 benefits.  
 The facts are now confirmed.  
 Such testimony is now complete—  
 the evidence conclusive.

It forms convincing proof of merit.  
 C. E. Webster, cattle buyer, W.  
 Center St., Ithaca, Mich., says: "For  
 years I was in bad shape from kidney  
 trouble. My kidneys didn't act right,  
 I had several attacks of backache and  
 I could hardly straighten after stoop-  
 ing. At times I was nervous and  
 dizzy. I was restless at night and in  
 the morning felt tired. I used Doan's  
 Kidney Pills and they gave me great  
 relief in every way."

OVER SIX YEARS LATER, Mr.  
 Webster said: "I still use Doan's  
 Kidney Pills once in a while and don't  
 know what I would do without them.  
 I am glad to recommend this medi-  
 cine."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't  
 simply ask for a kidney remedy—get  
 Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that  
 Mr. Webster had. Foster-Milburn  
 Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—adv.

## IT STARTLED THEM

Some newcomers to Alma were  
 startled when they found what a fine  
 meal could be had for 35c at the  
 European Cafe.—77-1-c.

## Circulation counts—we have it

## LEGAL NOTICES

Estate of Mrs. Emma Lambert  
 for the County of Gratiot.  
 At a session of said court, held at the  
 Probate office in the village of Ithaca, in  
 said county, on the 16th day of December, A. D.  
 1918.  
 Present: Hon. J. Lee Potts, Judge of Pro-  
 bate.

In the matter of the estate of Mrs. Emma  
 Lambert, deceased.  
 Nelson Reeson having filed in said court  
 his petition praying that the administration  
 of said estate be granted to him or to some  
 other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 16th day of January,  
 A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at  
 the Probate office, be and is hereby appointed  
 for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered that public notice  
 thereof be given by publication of a copy of  
 this order, once each week for three suc-  
 cessive weeks previous to said day of hearing,  
 in the Alma Record, a newspaper printed and  
 circulated in said county.

A true copy. Attest:  
 J. LEE POTTS,  
 Judge of Probate.  
 EILEEN M. WALTER,  
 Register of Probate.

## Estate of Francis S. Palmer

## STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Gratiot

Notice is hereby given, that the final ac-  
 count of John D. Spilney, the Executor of  
 the estate of Francis S. Palmer, of Gratiot  
 County, Michigan, deceased, will be examined  
 and if found correct allowed by me at the  
 Probate Office in the village of Ithaca, in  
 said county, on the 23rd day of January,  
 next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.  
 Dated: Ithaca, December 23rd, A. D. 1918.  
 J. LEE POTTS,  
 Judge of Probate.